



*State of Missouri*

## *Governor's Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, Missouri workers build our homes, roads, schools, and hospitals; provide food for our families; provide care to the sick and injured; create goods; and provide services for people around the world; and

**WHEREAS**, their work improves our families, communities, and our great state; and

**WHEREAS**, it is a tragedy when a mother, father, sister, brother, or child goes to work and not return home and a family's loss is immeasurable; and

**WHEREAS**, Missourians lose their lives each year on the job while others suffer injuries and illnesses; and

**WHEREAS**, we gather each year to honor the memory of Missouri's fallen workers and rededicate our efforts to improve safety and health in every workplace in the state; and

**WHEREAS**, the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) shall continue its commitment to workplace safety to reduce the number of workplace fatalities, accidents, and illnesses.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Michael L. Parson, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI, do hereby proclaim April 28, 2023, to be

### **WORKERS' MEMORIAL DAY**

in Missouri, and ask all Missourians to remember, salute, thank, and honor Americans who have been injured or lost their lives while on the job and hereby proclaim that all citizens have the right to come home safely and healthy at the end of their workday.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Missouri, in the City of Jefferson, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2023.



*Michael L. Parson*  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

  
SECRETARY OF STATE